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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

DAVID HOUGH; *et al.*

Plaintiffs,

vs.

RYAN CARROLL; *et al.*

Defendants.

Case No.: 2:24-cv-02886-WLH-SK

**PLAINTIFFS' AND NON-PARTY  
HSBC BANK USA, N.A.'S  
STIPULATION TO VACATE  
HEARING REGARDING ORDER  
TO SHOW CAUSE**

Hearing: September 25, 2024  
Presiding Judge: Hon. Steve Kim  
Action Filed: April 9, 2024  
Trial Date: N/A

**PLAINTIFFS' AND NON-PARTY HSBC BANK USA, N.A.'S STIPULATION  
TO VACATE HEARING REGARDING ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

This Stipulation is entered into by and between Plaintiffs and Non-Party HSBC Bank USA, N.A. ("HSBC"), through their respective counsel of record.

WHEREAS, on August 29, 2024, the Court entered an order stating, in part:

1 HSBC Bank USA must appear before the Court on September 25,  
2 2024 at 10:00am—in Courtroom 540 at the courthouse located at  
3 255 E. Temple Street, Los Angeles, California 90012—to show  
4 cause why it should not be held in contempt for failing to produce  
5 documents responsive to Plaintiffs’ subpoena. HSBC may  
6 discharge this show-cause order by producing responsive  
7 documents no later than September 18, 2024, in which case the  
8 parties must file a joint status report by September 20 at 5 PM PT  
9 stipulating that the show-cause hearing scheduled for September  
10 25, 2024 may be vacated.

11 WHEREAS, on or before September 18, 2024, HSBC produced documents  
12 responsive to the subpoena. HSBC represents that it produced all documents  
13 responsive to the subpoena that it located with a reasonable diligent search.

14 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by the parties as follows:

15 The show-cause hearing scheduled for September 25, 2024 should be vacated,  
16 and Plaintiffs’ motion to hold in contempt HSBC should be denied as moot.

17 Dated: September 20, 2024

18 /s/ Nico Banks

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12 **ATTESTATION**

13 Pursuant to L.R. 5-4.3.4, I hereby attest that all other signatories listed, and on  
14 whose behalf the filing is submitted, concur in the filing's content and have  
15 authorized the filing.

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